

1 1. A method comprising:
2 transmitting an enhanced television program; and
3 transmitting a real-time event that indicates the
4 end of the program.

1 2. The method of claim 1 including causing the
2 display screen of a receiver that receives said enhanced
3 television program to transition to a full screen display
4 of television.

1 3. The method of claim 2 including causing the
2 display screen of a receiver to display at least two
3 frames, only one of said frames being a television display
4 and selectively causing the screen to transition to a full
5 screen television display in response to the real-time
6 event.

1 4. The method of claim 1 including transmitting said
2 real-time event through an Internet Protocol multicast.

1 5. The method of claim 1 wherein transmitting a
2 real-time event includes transmitting a trigger.

1 6. The method of claim 5 wherein transmitting a
2 trigger includes transmitting a trigger with a Uniform
3 Resource Locator.

1 7. The method of claim 6 wherein transmitting a
2 Uniform Resource Locator includes transmitting a Uniform
3 Resource Locator using the tv: protocol.

1 8. The method of claim 1 including transmitting a
2 real-time event that warns that the end of a program is
3 approaching.

1 9. The method of claim 8 including enabling the user
2 to elect to retain enhancements after receiving said real-
3 time event warning of the end of the program.

1 10. An article comprising a medium storing
2 instructions that enable a processor-based system to:
3 transmit an enhanced television program; and
4 transmit a real-time event that indicates the end
5 of the program.

1 11. The article of claim 10 further storing
2 instructions that enable the processor-based system to
3 cause the display screen of a receiver receiving said
4 enhanced television program to transition to a full screen
5 display of television.

4 receiving said real-time event warning of the end of the
5 program.

1 17. A system comprising:
2 a processor-based device; and
3 a storage coupled to said processor-based device
4 storing instructions that enable the processor-based device
5 to transmit a real-time event that indicates the end of an
6 enhanced television program.

1 ⁵ 18. The system of claim 17 wherein said storage
2 stores instructions that enable the processor-based device
3 to transmit a trigger that indicates the end of the
4 program.

1 ¹⁵ 19. The system of claim 18 wherein said storage
2 stores instructions that enable the processor-based device
3 to transmit a trigger including a Uniform Resource Locator
4 using the tv: protocol.

1 ¹⁴ 20. The system of claim 17 wherein said storage
2 stores instructions that enable the processor-based device
3 to transmit a real-time event that warns that the end of an
4 enhanced television program is approaching.

1 12 21. The system of claim 20 wherein said storage
2 stores instructions that enable the user to elect to retain
3 enhancements after receiving said real-time event warning
4 of the end of the program.

1 (1) 22. A method comprising:
2 receiving an enhanced television program; and
3 identifying a real-time event that indicates the
4 end of the program.

1 (2) 23. The method of claim 22 including causing a
2 display screen to transition to a full screen display of
3 television in response to receipt of said event.

1 (3) 24. The method of claim 23 including causing the
2 display screen to display at least two frames, only one of
3 said frames being a television display and selectively
4 transitioning the screen to a full screen television
5 display in response to the real-time event.

1 (4) 25 The method of claim 22 including listening for a
2 trigger with a Uniform Resource Locator using the tv:
3 protocol.

